

Private Law 652

CHAPTER 303

May 18, 1956
[H. R. 6395]

AN ACT

For the relief of Thomas W. Bevans and others.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the following disbursing officers and former disbursing officers of the armed services the amounts listed opposite their names, which amounts represent moneys paid from their personal funds to liquidate deficiencies incurred in their accounts in good faith and without fraud or collusion on their part:

Lieutenant Thomas W. Bevans, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$6.50; Ensign Franklin E. Clay, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$50; Lieutenant Commander William R. Davenport, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$24.23; Ensign Albert R. Dow, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$22.10; Ensign Jack Futerfas, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$17.44; Lieutenant (junior grade) Aloys A. Godar, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$5.52; Lieutenant (junior grade) Richard K. Greenlee, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$30.88; Ensign Owen D. Griffin, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$4,000; Ensign Hobart D. Harvey, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$1,503; Lieutenant Richard C. Hoskins, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$15.60; Lieutenant (junior grade) Alvin D. Jacobs, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$56.44; Lieutenant (junior grade) R. V. Kelly, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$10; Victoria Kralka Le Brou (widow of Colonel Richard K. Le Brou, Finance Corps, symbol number 210257), \$400.89; Commander James T. Mathews, Junior, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$181.60; Lieutenant (junior grade) Vincent J. McCabe, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$36.25;

Lieutenant (junior grade) James E. McDonald, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$30.33; Ensign Charles H. McKenzie, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$135.40; Ensign James K. Meritt, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$23.30; Commissioned Warrant Officer Norman V. Miller, United States Marine Corps, \$452; Mae R. Nagel (widow of Colonel Jacob Louis Nagel, Finance Corps, symbol number 210601), \$769.43; Mrs. Florence Netcher (widow of Colonel Fred Charles Netcher, Finance Corps, symbol number 211971), \$104.74; Ensign R. P. Schmitt, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$109; Lieutenant (junior grade) Jean M. Shaefer, Supply Corps (W), United States Naval Reserve, \$57.47; Lieutenant (junior grade) William John Vogel, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$585.16; Commander John Byron Warner, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$437; Ensign LeRoy William Adams, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$15; Lieutenant (junior grade) John Joseph Beck, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$326.82; Lieutenant (junior grade) Mason V. Carlson, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$37.50; Ensign William E. Dorion, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$19.88;

Lieutenant Ernest Telford Grant, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$12; Lieutenant (junior grade) Lloyd Russell Jones, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$73.54; Lieutenant Commander George Garland Jordan, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$56.25; Lieutenant Ben T. Karnes, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$104.40; Ensign Samuel Thompson Lattimore, Supply Corps, United

States Navy, \$9; Lieutenant Oscar William Levy, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$28.58; Lieutenant Robert Charles Lyons, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$128.96; Lieutenant Fred A. McCuan, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$300; Lieutenant (junior grade) Louis G. Pierce, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$104.27; Ensign Max B. Reed, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$98.50; Ensign Robert Lee Rigel, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$100; estate of Captain John Manning Speissegger, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$100.10; Ensign James M. Waters, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$50; Ensign Franklin C. Wright, Supply Corps, United States Naval Reserve, \$78; Lieutenant Robert C. Zell, Supply Corps, United States Navy, \$19.50.

SEC. 2. The relief herein authorized in no way shall bar recovery from the payees or beneficiaries of the amounts improperly received by them.

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CHAPTER 304

AN ACT

For the relief of Frank G. Gerlock.

May 18, 1956
[H. R. 7114]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Frank G. Gerlock, 14845 Garden Drive, Miami, Florida, the sum of \$929.65, in full satisfaction and final settlement of his claim against the United States for destruction of his household goods and personal effects as the result of being inundated and smashed while being transported by the Government in shipment from Trieste, Italy, to Avon Park, Florida, incident to his change of station while on active duty in the Army of the United States, such amount being in addition to the amount of \$2,500 already administratively paid to him under the provisions of the Military Personnel Claims Act of 1945, as amended (31 U. S. C. 222c): *Provided*, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Frank G. Gerlock.

59 Stat. 225.

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CHAPTER 305

AN ACT

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to grant an extension of time to the Matanuska Valley Lines, Incorporated, and to Russell Swank and Joe Blackard within which to apply for patent to certain lands in Alaska.

May 18, 1956
[H. R. 7513]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, if the Secretary of the Interior finds that the Matanuska Valley Lines, Incorporated, pursuant to its certificate of conditional purchase issued on August 20, 1951, for tracts 1, 2, 3, and 4 of block 27 of the east addition to the original townsites of Anchorage, Alaska, and tract 7 of block

Matanuska Valley Lines, Inc.